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DECATUR, ILL., THURSDAY, JUNE 4, 1903.

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WATERS RISE AT ST. LOUIS

THERE IS NO WAY TO AVERT THE DAMAGE CERTAIN TO COME.

FLOODS ABATE AT TOPEKA

River May Make Its Permanent Course Through Armourdale—The City Is Entirely Deserted.

St. Louis, June 3.—The Mississippi river continues to rise and it is expected that by Saturday the lower levee in front will be flooded. Venice, Granite City and Madison, north of East St. Louis, are threatened with inundation. That will cut off the water supply of the three towns. The river has encroached into the railroad yards and shipping district of East St. Louis and the warehouses along the levee are half submerged. The people living along the river have received a general warning and it is believed that all who were in danger have escaped to higher ground.

FLOODS DO GREAT DAMAGE

As It Moves East—Hannibal Situation Is Critical.

St. Louis, June 3.—Reports from Missouri points show serious conditions. At Booneville, the river cut through the embankment of the Missouri, Kansas & Texas railroad tonight, half way between the bridge and Hannibal Junction. This leaves Booneville without connection north, east and west. At Lexington, a territory five miles wide and thirty long is under water. The Chicago & Alton bridge at West Glasgow is endangered. Communication with the east is cut off. The most serious reports come from Hannibal, where the river is nine feet above the danger line. The loss to property is already \$200,000. Railroad yards are submerged and business blocks and residences are flooded. The city levee protecting thousands of acres of farm lands is likely to give way any time.

FLOOD ABATES AT TOPEKA

Governor Bailey Appeals For Aid—Legislation May Be Called.

Topeka, Kas., June 3.—The river has fallen more than four feet, though still seven feet above the highest previous record. The total number of known dead is twenty-two, unidentified dead, five, reported dead, sixty-six. No one now in the flooded district is in danger. Governor Bailey has issued a proclamation calling for help and asking that contributions be sent to William Sims, treasurer. The general relief fund has reached \$1,000. The fund in the hands of Governor Bailey is \$5,000. The only railroad operating out of Topeka are the Missouri Pacific, south, and the Santa Fe, west. The governor may call an extra session of the legislature to provide for state relief for the sufferers from the flood in Kansas.

ARMOURDALE IS RUINED.

A City of 16,000 People Is Now Entirely Destroyed.

Kansas City, Mo., June 3.—The waters of the Kansas and Missouri rivers continue to fall. The militia and police closely guard all approaches to the flooded district. The Associated Press bureau crossed to Armourdale today and cruised for miles through the water lanes formerly the city's streets. The entire town is under water in many places, twenty feet and all of the 16,000 inhabitants have fled. Except the water men in the parking houses on the river front, not a human being is to be seen nor even a domestic animal. Armourdale will not be habitable for a long time after the flood subsides. Every building is more or less damaged and hundreds are utterly ruined. A strong current has set in through the town and the river may persist in flowing via this course. In the old channel in front of Armourdale the stream flows moderately but through the town the water rushes many. On the flat roofs of houses now uncovered a foot of mud lies. Kansas avenue, the principal thoroughfare of Armourdale, is choked twenty feet with debris. Brick buildings have stood, losing all their windows, but the water has packed the streets with rubble. The clearing away of the mud and ruins will be a work of months. In the west bottoms of Kansas City several brick buildings, and ruined by water, fell today. Not one wooden building is fit to be used. The stock yards district dead horses, mules and cattle are floating on every side.

Loves Break.

Keokuk, Ia., June 3.—The Hunt levee on the Illinois side broke this afternoon and 4,000 acres are flooded. Nine hundred feet of Indian Grove levee, further down, also went out this afternoon, flooding 35,000 acres.

Was Exaggerated.

Kansas City, June 3.—The Kansas flood news tonight is generally favorable. At Salina there was no loss of life and the damage to property is smaller than at first estimated. Abilene reports eight deaths in Geary county, one in Dickinson and large damage to crops.

STERNBERG WILL PARTICIPATE.

His Credentials are Expected to Arrive in July. Washington, June 3.—Baron Von Sternberg, the German ambassador, has accepted the invitation of the national sarsaparilla association to attend their meeting June 15 in Baltimore, and will occupy a box with President Roosevelt that evening. President Roosevelt has not yet set the date for Sternberg's reception as ambassador. The Baron's credentials will arrive in July. A probably presentation will occur at Oyster Bay.

NO NEWS OF MISS SHUMWAY

Young Woman From Taylorville Was Among the Flood Sufferers at Armourdale.

TWO WEDDINGS CELEBRATED

Taylorville, June 3.—Special to the Herald—No word has as yet been received in Taylorville from Miss Lou Shumway, who when last heard from, by relatives here was at Armourdale, Kas., which is now under twenty feet of water.

It is hardly likely that she has been a flood victim, but her relatives and friends are in considerable mental distress over her welfare.

Curvey-Blackburn.

Roy Curvey and Miss Floy Blackburn, both of Palmer, were married at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon at the residence of J. W. Leigh by Rev. W. E. Howard, of the C. P. church.

The wedding of Miss Hildur Peters and R. H. Minnis was solemnized at the home of the bride at eight o'clock this evening by Rev. W. E. Howard, of the C. P. church.

Business Block Sold.

The deal between Melle Williams and the Farmers National bank, involving the transfer of the Williams block at the southeast corner of the square, was consummated Tuesday evening. The bank paid Mr. Williams \$27,500 and was given a clear title to the property.

To Europe.

Miss Julia Anderson sailed today from New York City with five of her lady friends on the American line steamer, Philadelphia.

FOUR CHILDREN DROWNED

Steamer Flying Eagle Carrying Excursion Party to Quincy Collides With Bridge.

AND SINKS IN THE DEEP WATER

Hannibal, Mo., June 3.—Four lives were lost in an accident to the steamer Flying Eagle, which collided with a bridge today, while carrying an excursion party of 250 children to Quincy. The dead.

LONNIE B. CURTIS, 11.

MARTHA COPPEDGA, 8.

HARRY RICHENBERGER, 17.

PEGGY HARVEY, 10.

The boat did not sink immediately and as soon as the terror-stricken excursionists quieted they climbed up the pier to the bridge. The barge broke away from the steamer before all had escaped and it was by the sudden swinging of the barge that those drowned were thrown overboard. Others were rescued by men in rowboats.

SPRINGFIELD PASSES IT UP

Decides That It Is Too Late To Get Into the Three L League This Season.

MAY TRY IT NEXT YEAR.

A SENSATIONAL STORY POILED

One Stick of Dynamite Grew to a Satchel Full in Dispatches.

A sensational story was sent out from Bloomington Wednesday concerning the finding of a "satchel full" of dynamite near the C. & A. tracks at Lincoln. For sensational purposes it was at once connected with the presence of President Roosevelt in Illinois and was "suspected" of being a plot to blow his train up. The truth about the matter was told by the Lincoln Herald last night in a small item as follows: "Chief of Police Meos was seen Wednesday morning with a small bag in his left hand, which appeared to be held very carefully. It was noticed that the satchel was not going to and from that graceful and characteristic of his kind. Inquiry developed in a moment that a large stick of dynamite was hidden inside the leather bag. It had been found by Henry Henshell near the corner of the junction of the railroad and was turned over to an officer. It is supposed to have been hidden away by some person engaged in dynamiting fish along Salt creek. A great deal of this work is reported. When last seen, Chief Meos was figuring on a safe place to deposit the dynamite."

Had a Scheme to Defraud.

Portland, Ore., June 3.—Miss Marie Ware, who recently resigned as United States commissioner at Eugene in the request of United States Judge Belinger, was arrested today, charged with a conspiracy to obtain government lands by fraud.

Moody Will Retire.

Washington, June 3.—It is announced authoritatively tonight that Secretary Moody will not remain in the cabinet longer than the present term of President Roosevelt. He expects then to resume the practice of law.

The Dead at Gainesville.

Gainesville, Ga., June 3.—The latest tabulation of the victims of the tornado places the deaths at eighty-five to ninety. Secretary Root sent word today that the government would send funds and such temporary assistance as may be needed.

THIS IS, INDEED, A PLEASURE



PRESIDENT'S BUSY DAY

RAIN OR SHINE HE MADE NINE SPEECHES IN THIS STATE TUESDAY.

NOVEL INCIDENT AT DWIGHT

President Says If We Are All Good Americans That Will Be Sufficient Platform Upon Which to Stand.

GIVEN UP AS LOST.

Vessel With Eighty Persons Supposed to Have Foundered.

Valparaiso, Chile, June 3.—In a gale which yesterday swept the bay here the British steamer Poyedale was wrecked and the captain's wife and son and six seamen were drowned. The Pacific Steam Navigation Company's steamer Arequipa with 80 persons on board is given up as lost. The bodies of some of the crew have been washed ashore.

WEDDING ANNOUNCED.

Harry H. Metz and Miss Florence B. Goodwin to be Married June 11.

Moweaqua, June 3.—Special to the Herald—Thursday morning, June 11, day occurred at Dwight. The mayor is decorated. In introducing the president he said: "I consider you, Mr. President, an ideal American citizen. I am in favor of the course that you have pursued and will support you for re-election."

PROVED OWNERSHIP.

Rock Island Elects Directors for the C. & E. I.

Chicago, June 3.—Through their purchase of a control of the Trisco system, the Rock Island interests have been placed in full control of the Chicago & Eastern Illinois. This fact was proved at the annual meeting of the Rock Island here today, when the Rock Island representatives were chosen as directors.

College Orators.

Fargo, N. D., June 3.—In the annual contest of the Western League of oratory Miss Anna M. Bagstad of Yankton college, S. D., was awarded first place. A. Wentz, of Dakota university, Mitchell, South Dakota, second.

Harriman Recovers.

New York, June 3.—Edward H. Harriman, who has been confined to his bed in a hotel since an operation fourteen days ago for appendicitis, was able to be up today. He expects to sail for Europe next Tuesday.

No Change of Venue.

Jackson, Ky., June 3.—The orders changing the trial of Jeff and Wite in the murder case to Morgan county have been withdrawn, and the cases will be tried here as soon as a jury can be summoned from an adjoining county.

Ottawa, Ont., June 3.—Forty houses

were burned at Hull today. The fire was checked by firemen from Ottawa. The loss is \$100,000.

ARE HUNTING FOR TROUBLE

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boards of the United Mine Workers decided to hold a joint convention of miners at Pottsville, June 15, for the purpose of determining whether a general suspension of work shall be declared on account of the refusal of the operators to recognize the miners' representatives on the board of conciliation.

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The miners' representatives, answering the operators say that the latter's members on the board of conciliation were appointed without a meeting of the stockholders of the companies being called for that purpose, but that representatives of the stockholders, officials of the companies, and selected their representatives. The miners' representatives selected their members, not by calling a meeting of all their members or stockholders, but by their organization, through their representatives, as empowered by the rules and regulations of their organization which does exist, and as is provided by the award of the strike commission. The miners' representatives say:

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LINCOLN DOCTOR MARRIED

At Hillsboro, Wednesday, to Miss Eva McDavid—Maxwell-Blinn Nuptials.

NEWSY NOTES FROM LINCOLN.

Lincoln, June 3.—Special to The Herald—An event of social importance to two Illinois cities was the marriage of Dr. Lewis T. Rhodes of Lincoln to Miss Eva McDavid, which occurred Wednesday, June 3, at high noon at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. McDavid, in Hillsboro. Maxwell-Blinn.

One of the pretty functions of the season in society circles was the wedding of Miss Blossom Blinn to William K. Maxwell, which event took place Tuesday evening, June 2, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward D. Blinn, 201 Ninth street. Between 150 and 200 guests attended.

Goes to Europe.

Dr. Charles K. Taylor, a prominent and successful physician and surgeon of this city, will depart Friday for New York, and on the 9th inst. he will sail in the steamship Moltke for Hamburg, Germany, and will go to Marburg, where he will enter the famous University of Marburg and take a special course under the world-known Dr. Prof. Behring, the discoverer of antitoxins.

Appointed Superintendent of Asylum.

Dr. Charles K. Taylor of Elkhart was appointed superintendent of the Asylum for Feeble Minded Children on Tuesday evening by Gov. Yates. Edward Stubbfield, whose term as trustee expired, was reappointed.

Death of Miss Winifred Lawrence.

Miss Winifred Lawrence died at 1:30 o'clock Wednesday morning at St. John's hospital in Springfield, of spinal meningitis, following an illness of two weeks. Miss Lawrence was taken to Springfield from Altona, Pa., where she had been attending a seminary. From Chicago a special train was run over the Alton. Miss Lawrence was the daughter of the late Charles Lawrence, and was an orphan. She was charming and popular. She lived with her mother and guardian, Mrs. F. T. Turner, of Springfield. In the summer she lived on the farm, near Elkhart.

MACHEN'S COAL CONTRACT

There Was Nothing Irregular—He Was the Lowest Bidder.

Washington, June 3.—The postmaster general today made public the records of the attorney general on which Payne awarded a coal contract to M. Machen. The contract was for the free delivery system, is a member, they being the lowest bidders. The newspapers at the time charged that the award to the firm of which one member was a department official, was a violation of the law. The attorney general said that while the postmaster general was not forbidden by the statute from awarding the contract to the lowest bidder, he did not wish to be understood as advising the matter was one of administrative justice and discretion.

CANCER CURED WITH X RAYS.

French Physicians Claim to Have Restored Afflicted Woman to Health.

Paris, June 3.—The Matin says two doctors at Lille who have been experimenting with X rays in cancer cases have arrived at satisfactory results with a woman of 65 who was suffering with cancer of the stomach. She was treated seven times in three months by the application of X rays, which entirely restored her to health, and she even gained in weight. The cure was effected seven months ago, and there has been no relapse.

AN UPHILL FIGHT.

The New Policy of Chamberlain Excites British Alarm.

London, June 3.—The indications multiply that Chamberlain will have an uphill fight in his preferred policy. All the trades union leaders have spoken against it, and the corporation congress, representing two million workers, oppose the plan.

Sully Goes to Europe.

Providence, R. I., June 3.—Daniel J. Sully, who has just closed a successful bull campaign on the New York circuit, is preparing to sail for Europe tomorrow on the steamer Kaiser Wilhelm II, for a two months' rest, combined with a little business. Before leaving for New York today he distributed \$20,000 among his associates and clerks in the office of the F. W. Rey, old company, South Water street, on which he is the head.

Steamship Arrivals.

Queenstown, June 3.—Majestic from New York, Westernland from Philadelphia for Liverpool.

New York.—Kaiser Wilhelm II, from New York.

New York.—Teutonic from Liverpool; Numidian from Glasgow and Liverpool.

Glasgow.—Sardinian from Montreal; Manchester—Caledonian from Boston; Manchester Trader, from Montreal.

Genoa.—Victoria from Philadelphia.

Middies On Parade.

Annapolis, Md., June 3.—The infantry drill by a battalion of midshipmen was witnessed today by the board of visitors. In the afternoon the board visited the armory buildings and saw the middies in fencing contests with foils, sabers and broadswords. A dress parade followed the fencing bouts.

Kearsarge Sails for Kiel.

New York, June 3.—The United States battleship Kearsarge sailed today for Kiel, Germany, where she is to be the temporary flagship of the Admiral Cotton, during the regatta week celebration at that port.

Dies By His Own Hand.

Ashtabula, Wis., June 3.—Dr. J. R. Straw, a prominent physician, was found dead in the bath room of his residence today, having cut his throat with a razor. Despondency is supposed to be the cause.

Births.

Moyer.—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Louis Moyer, of 606 North Stone street, June 2, a son.

SENATOR HANNA GIVES ADVICE

SAYS IT IS WELL TO KEEP ON LETTING WELL ENOUGH ALONE.

OHIO REPUBLICANS MEET

Senator Hanna as Temporary Chairman Makes Speech and the Convention Adjourns for Day.

Columbus, June 3.—The republican state convention was called to order at 4 o'clock this afternoon. When Senator Hanna was presented as temporary chairman, he was given a great ovation. His praise of President Roosevelt's administration created much enthusiasm, every reference to the president being cheered.

Hanna devoted a large portion of his speech to Ohio affairs, commending the state administration and recounting the progress and prosperity of the state. Speaking of the achievements of the republican party he said: "Human liberty and protection to American industries and American working men are placed in the sacred archives of our country's history and furnish its foundation stone. And since that time, stone by stone, has been added to that structure, every one as hard and indestructible as granite itself; every one is composed in its principles of truth fitted and made complete the whole, and as it was raised year by year, tried by experience, encouraged by success, today standing here in the presence of this great audience, let me point to that magnificent structure, a monument to the principles of the republican party, and let that party write an inscription upon its base in letters that all who run may read, 'Hands off.' Time and patience have built that structure. We have contributed to that structure. We have a new era or if the old of the twentieth century is to be a continuation of republican prosperity, let those who were working men upon that edifice stand guard."

Referring to the president, Hanna said: "The republicans today can congratulate themselves that in the direction of the national affairs they have realized all they hoped for and all they expected in the administration of Theodore Roosevelt. We look back upon the last few months when that heroic young man, standing under the gloom of that awful tragedy at Buffalo, feeling and appreciating the responsibilities, which had come upon him, and in the presence of the American people, made that sacred promise to them that to the best of his ability, with his heart full of desire, it should be his aim to carry out the policies of President McKinley. And how well he has succeeded, we all know. We all feel, as this convention will express, an appreciation of that administration. We all realize that to young heroic president, as due as coming from his heart, most patriotic, unselfish and energetic devotion to the interests of the people and the principles of the American people, and hearing those words, a solemn import of which has indelibly impressed itself upon all who stood near him, no one can doubt his motives. We are in the category of a man whose ambition is greater than his patriotism."

Reviewing the party's policy and achievements under it, he asked why the republican party should change one of its principles.

"Human liberty, protection to American industries and our working men. We started with that slogan many years ago. It went forth and reached the hearts of every freeman in the land and it is needed any additional tribute of any accession to add to the lustre of that monument of happiness and contentment perceptible everywhere around us. I once said, 'Let well enough alone.' For God's sake, 'Keep on letting it alone.'"

"We have just arrived at the front rank of the industrial nations of the world. 'Does any one suppose we are going to stop or halt in our progress?' This is not the spirit of the American people. 'No.' We are going on. Riches untold will come from old mines, and from the inspiration of energy and our mechanical devices, and that wealth added to our country's treasury will make us stronger even than before. There is nothing impossible that is susceptible to human agency or ingenuity from which we cannot reap advantage."

Speaking of the relationship of capital and labor, he said we are beginning to apply the fact that interest and all the factors that contribute to prosperity and development are of mutual interest. The day is dawning when this all important question will be considered not from the standpoint of politics but of humanity and society.

Following Hanna's speech the usual committees were appointed and the convention adjourned until tomorrow. The resolutions to be presented tomorrow will commend Roosevelt's ability and address to McKinley principles and favor his nomination; favor the re-election of Hanna as senator and praise Governor Taft of the Philippines.

THE DEATH RECORD.

Karl Appenzeller.

Karl, the son of Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Appenzeller died of brain fever, Wednesday, June 3, at the family home on Gullick avenue, aged 1 year and 3 months.

The funeral announcement will be made later.

For Alderman.

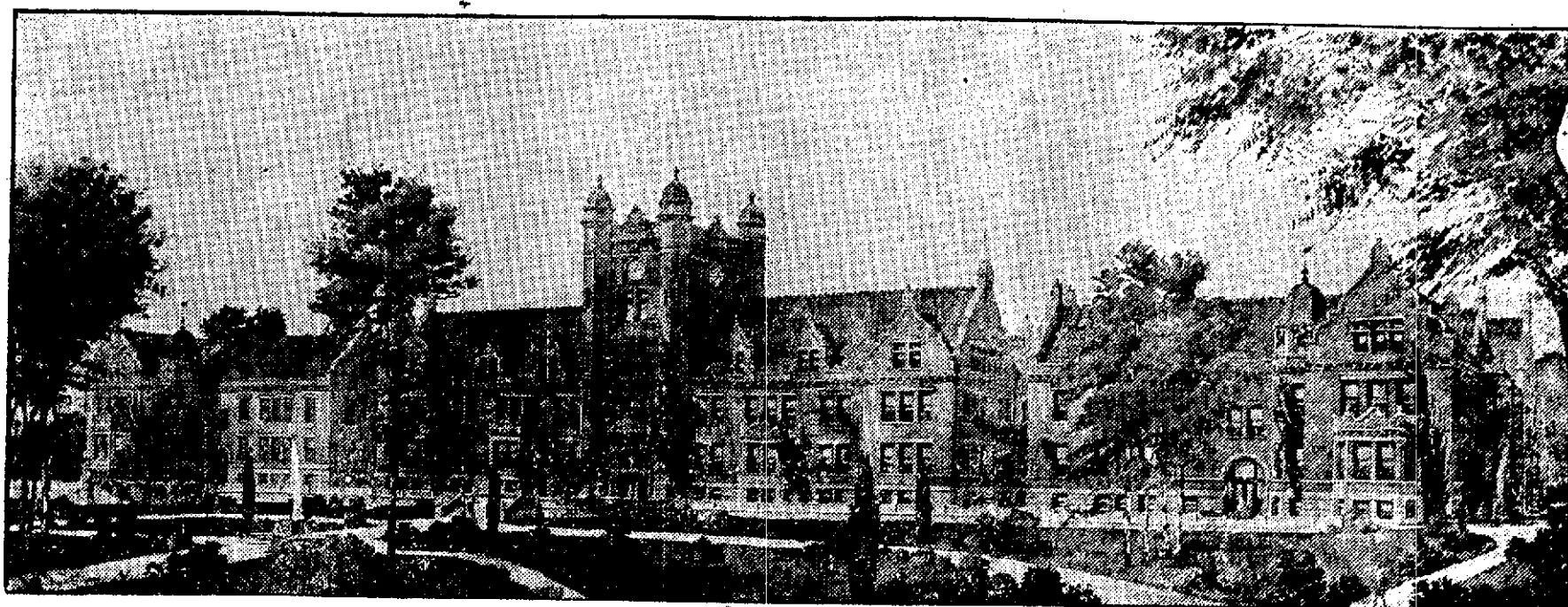
In the midst of the excitement over the school election a number of re-ward primary members called for the Niedermeier grocery store Tuesday night. They assembled there and named B. W. Dillehunt as a candidate for alderman. There was no opposition. In the election of Mr. Dillehunt the ward is assured of a good representative.

PRESIDENT THEODORE ROOSEVELT COMES TODAY TO DEDICATE THE JAMES MILLIKIN UNIVERSITY

CARRIAGES AND OCCUPANTS

The formation of the carriages making up the presidential parade and their occupants will be as follows:

Carriage No. 1.
The President.
Secretary Loeb.
Mayor C. F. Shilling.
W. F. Calhoun.
Carriage No. 2.
M. C. Latta, and three others of the party.
Carriage No. 3.
Sec. of Agriculture Wilson.
Surgeon Gen. P. M. Rixey.
Asst. Sec'y Barnes.
James Millikin.
Carriage No. 4.
N. P. Webster.
J. L. McGraw.
W. H. Starr.
B. Bradley.
Carriage No. 5.
Senator Beveridge.
Congressman Warner.
Col. J. M. Clokey.
Hon. J. M. Gray.
Carriage No. 6.
H. A. Coleman.
H. R. Hazard.
Lindsay Denison.
Jerry Donohue.
Carriage No. 7.
R. L. Dunn.
N. Lazarmick.
Hon. Owen Scott.
Hon. A. J. Gallagher.
Carriage No. 8.
George B. Luckey.
H. A. Strohmeier.
H. M. Bering.
G. W. Mueller.
Carriage No. 9.
P. W. Williams.
J. P. Gooch.
Felix B. Tait.
Robt. C. Hugg.
Carriage No. 10.
Senator Fairbanks.
W. L. Shellabarger.
I. R. Mills.
Carriage No. 11.
Judge W. G. Cochran.
Judge W. C. Johns.
Carriage No. 12.
C. S. Needham.
Peter Loeb.



UNIVERSITY TO STATION.

In the trip from the University to the station the following streets will be traversed. No vehicles or persons will be allowed on these streets. It is imperative that this rule be observed. Spectators must remain on the sidewalk.

Oakland avenue to Wood street.
Wood to Pine street.
Pine to Church street.
Church to William street.
William to Main street.
Main to Lincoln square.
Lincoln square to Water.
Water to North street.
North to Main street.
Main to Cerro Gordo street.
Cerro Gordo east to Station.

THE TIME IN DECATUR.

The schedule of the movements of President Roosevelt and party during their stay in this city will be about as follows:
Arrive at University 3:15
Reach platform 3:20
Leave platform 3:40
Arrive at station 3:58
Leave for Danville 4:25

MORE ENCOURAGING

The following weather bulletin received at midnight gives some encouragement to hope for better conditions today: Washington, June 3—Illinois—Mostly cloudy Thursday; probably showers in extreme south portion; warmer in central and south portions; Friday fair, warmer in northeast portion; fresh east winds on the lake.

Dr. W. F. Calhoun, Postmaster, Decatur, Ill.

In order to insure our train leaving promptly on schedule time only the president, myself and secret service men will leave the train at Decatur. The ceremony at University must be brief and arrangements made to drive the president rapidly across town to railway station. The president desires the above suggestions carried out without fail.

Wm. Loeb, Jr., Secy.
Makes It Clear.
Decatur, Ill., June 3, 1903.

Wm. Loeb, Bloomington, Ill.: Supt. Robertson, of this division of the Wabash, which will handle the presidential train from Springfield to Danville, resides here and is one of our local committee. When route was changed to Wabash his instructions were to leave Springfield at 2 p. m. arrive Danville 6:20. Distance 113 miles. With moderate running this increases president's time here to one hour at least. Our arrangements have been made accordingly and to disturb them now would be disappointing and embarrassing, and I hope the president may see his way clear to reconsider his decision. Mr. Sutton was here yesterday and we drove over the route in a moderate trot in 18 minutes. He approved our plans. If the train leaves Springfield on scheduled time there is no danger it will not be able to leave here on time. Answer before midnight so the facts may be stated in the morning paper.

W. F. Calhoun.
Secretary Consents.
Bloomington, Ill., June 3.
W. F. Calhoun, P. M. Decatur, Ill.: Telegram received. I have just been informed about extension of time for Decatur. Your program may stand, but be sure and have us leave on time.

WEATHER AGAINST US.

Prevents Decorations of the Stands and Business Houses and Residences.
Everybody is hoping for good weather today. They will be satisfied with almost anything but rain. The incessant rains of the past week have interfered with the plans for the decoration of the city which promised to be quite elaborate. Many business men and owners of private properties have been in mind an elaborate display but have been prevented from making it on account of the rains. If it should be fair today there will be much decoration done, but it will have to be put up hastily and with less regard for artistic effects than if put up several days ahead of time. The speaker stands at the university and at the station have not yet been decorated, but that will be done this morning. The plans as already announced for the reception will be carried out no matter what the weather may be.

School Children.
The school children who expect to take places inside of the ropes prepared by the committee are urged to be on the grounds and in their places by 3 o'clock this afternoon. The smaller children should not be sent to the grounds unattended.

THE POLICE ARRANGEMENT

Entire Forces and Six Extras On Duty This Afternoon.

Chief Daniel Sullivan was making arrangements Wednesday for taking care of the crowd in the city today. There will be six extra men on the force, making in all twenty-eight men to look after the people. The six extra men will be Andy Gassaway, Joe Hewes, Constable Roy Bendure, William Mehan, J. G. Stober and Horace Davenport.

The night men will go on duty at noon today and the new men will work from noon till midnight. This arrangement will have the entire force on duty during the afternoon.

During the afternoon seven men will be stationed in the business portion of the city and seven men at the Wabash station. The other fourteen men will be at the university grounds and after the exercises there a part of the police will follow to the station. Four of the policemen will ride horses and will be at the side of the president's carriage as it is taken from the university grounds to the station. The four policemen who will ride by the president's carriage are C. E. Clements, Joe Powell, Thomas Richardson and O. B. Cross.

Ushers at the Dedication.
The ushers who are to accommodate the crowd at the dedication ceremonies at the university today have been chosen from the members of the Y. M. B. C. & S. C. of the First Presby-

PROGRAM

Ten O'clock, a. m. Assembly Hall

ANTHEM—"There Is a City Great and Strong" Schnecker

Quartet: GRACE HUBBARD, NOY MONTGOMERY, D. L. BUNN, GEORGE DUNSTON, EDNA M. BUNN, Accompanist.

INVOCATION REV. W. J. DAVIDSON, Decatur Schnecker

ANTHEM—Quartet, "Venite Exultamus Domino"

WELCOME ADDRESSES—

For the Board of Managers HON. I. R. MILLS, President.

For the Board of Trustees of the University and the City of Decatur HON. W. C. OUTTEN

For the Faculty A. R. TAYLOR, Ph. D., President of the University

RESPONSES AND GREETINGS—

For the State of Illinois HON. ALFRED BAYLISS

Superintendent of Public Instruction

For the Schools of Decatur and Macon County SUPT. E. A. GASTMAN

For Lincoln College J. E. MILLER

Vice President Board of Managers

For the Press and Our Southern Neighbors IRA LANDRITH, D. D.

Editor Cumberland Presbyterian, Nashville, Tenn.

For Our Northern Neighbors JOHN W. COOK

President Northern Illinois State Normal School, Dekalb.

For Auld Lang Syne J. N. WILKINSON

President State Normal School of Kansas, Emporia

For Our Sister Colleges EDMUND J. JAMES

President Northwestern University, Evanston, Illinois

RECESSIONAL—Quartet. (Words by Rudyard Kipling)

2 O'clock P. M.—Park Platform. Reginald De Koven

Two O'clock, p. m. Park Platform

MUSIC THE GOODMAN BAND

ADDRESSES—

DR. T. C. BURRILL, University of Illinois, Champaign

HON. N. J. SCHAEFFER,

Supt. of Public Instruction of the State of Pennsylvania

HON. VESPAIAN WARNER, Clinton

PRESIDENT THEODORE ROOSEVELT

B. P. FULLERTON, D. D. St. Louis

DEDICATORY ADDRESS

DEDICATORY PRAYER

terian church. They are Ed Hitchcock, Ed Walker, Chester Smith, Lee Boland, Ralph Eckles, Hugh Crea, Will Penhalligon, Will Grout and Charles Yates.

DIRECTIONS TO VISITORS.

And Suggestions Concerning the Exercises at the University Today.
The buildings cannot be opened to the general public in the afternoon for reasons which we are assured will be evident to all.

No vehicles of any kind except those for the presidential party will be admitted to the university park door on the north side. This is desired during the day.

The board suggests that as the residents of Decatur and vicinity will be given an opportunity later to inspect the buildings, it might be well to permit our visitors to have the preference for Thursday.

Instructions to Visitors.
Visitors to the buildings today are requested to enter at the east, or Domestic Science door, pass quietly through the corridors to the Engineering building on the west; then down stairs to the basement, coming east again, and passing out through the main door on the north side. This is desired in order to avoid confusion and better to accommodate the large number expected to be present. The Domestic Science door will be open at 9 in the morning.

It will be necessary for all visitors to pass in the same direction and not attempt to pass out again at the entrance door.

CARRIAGES AND COMMITTEES

Assemble at the Depot at 2 O'clock This Afternoon.

The carriages secured to convey the president's party across the city will assemble at the Wabash depot at 2

o'clock this afternoon and all the members of the committee assigned to the carriages are requested to be there. The object being that Supt. Robertson, who has charge of the president's train and who will be in Springfield, expects at that hour, to be able to send a telegram stating positively at what time the president's train will arrive, and what additional persons, if any, will be with the party. The idea of this arrangement is to have the members at that point to receive this information and to take the carriages from there to the university where the carriages will be lined up in order.

THE FIREWORKS DISPLAY.

The Evening Entertainment for Those Who Remain in the City.

The display of fireworks will be the finest ever seen in this city. The fireworks were bought at a cost of about \$400 and the firm from which the purchase was made said that \$250 was considered a good amount to spend for a display of fireworks.

Two experts will come here to have charge of the fireworks. There will be no charge to the race track where the fireworks will be shown. Everyone is welcome.

The following is the list of the fireworks which will be shown:

1—Aerial salute of a dozen 14-inch ripper shells.

2—Flight of six 4-pound willow tree rockets, showing bursts of fire in form of willow trees.

3—Six extra large mystic fountains, throwing meteors from a mist of silver spray.

4—Ascension of four night shells, unfolding umbrellas of fire.

5—Flight of twelve 3 pound search light rockets.

6—Exhibition piece, former President McKinley.

7—Three 12 inch streamer shells, each shell bursts three times, showing red, white and blue stars.

8—Six whistling pack mines, throwing sparks resembling a cascade of water.

9—Six 6-pound telescopic repeating rockets, each discharging at high altitude four rockets, which in turn throw off colored stars.

10—Four 14 inch Niagara shells, liberating silver spray which in its descent resembles a cascade of water.

11—Battery of 16,000 firecrackers.

12—Six four-pound cornucopia rockets, releasing crimson, sapphire and emerald duration stars.

13—Six mammoth meteor batteries, discharging magnesium stars, and of which separates into several smaller ones.

14—Three 18 inch Garden City shells pearl shower effects.

15—Three 8 pound peacock plume rockets, showing feathery plumes embellished with circles of gold, green and mixed tints.

16—President Roosevelt.

17—Illumination with twenty-four bags of colored fires.

18—Four 14-inch Klondike shells, releasing gold streamers.

19—Six extra large scorpion nests, showing fountain of electric stars and bursts of squirming fire scorpions.

20—Six 4-pound meteor rockets, discharging meteors which change to revolving wheels of fire.

21—Flight of six trailing comets.

22—Four 12-inch Garden City Shells, unfolding wreath of gold and silver leaves.

23—Eruption of six electric fire fountains.

24—Flight of twelve 3-pound twinkling star rockets, discharging stars trailed from parachutes of fire.

25—Display of 1,000 red, white and blue lights.

26—Six extra large electric shower batteries.

27—Six 4-pound hanging chain rockets.

28—Four inch Garden City Shells, mammoth spreader effect.

29—Flight of six boomerangs.

30—Flight of twelve 4-pound exhibition rockets, releasing duration stars of oriental colors.

31—Four 14-inch bombshells, showing masses of fire of different colors.

32—Six exhibition rotary rockets.

33—Three 18-inch Garden City night shells, kaleidoscopic effect.

34—Six extra large reporting saucers, fountain streams of fire which explode with show of wiggles.

35—Three 8-pound golden cloud rockets, showing clouds suspended for a moment and then fall as golden rain.

36—Four 14-inch signal shells, discharging volumes of dense white mist.

37—Six 4-pound electric shower rockets, releasing emerald and sapphire stars.

38—Aerial display of six 14-inch Garden City shells, rainbow effect.

39—The flag of the United States.

40—Patriotic design to close the exhibition.



JAMES MILLIKIN

DEVELOPMENT OF THE COLLEGE

From the First Offer by Mr. Millikin to The Present Time.

The first offer by Mr. James Millikin which made the university possible was announced in May 1900 when he made known his desire to donate \$200,000 and build a college, providing the synods of the Cumberland Presbyterian church would raise \$100,000 and the citizens of Decatur a like amount. This was the beginning of a plan

which has been worked out step by step until today the magnificent buildings in an almost completed state are to be dedicated to the education of the youth of this state and will add to the fame of Decatur throughout the entire country. The three years that have elapsed since Mr. Millikin's generous offer, have been crowded with active work. There were many details in shaping the plans which necessitated time for their accomplishment.

On June 13, 1900 the trustees of the Lincoln college were called together for the consideration of the proposition of affiliating that institution with the proposed Decatur College and Industrial school. It was the desire of the donors that the local branch should not be sectarian in its character and that it should embrace some practical feature such as manual training where by the practical side of the education of the young could be amply taken care of. The decision was in favor of the proposal submitted.

The next four months in the history of the new college were marked by activity of financial agents in the field, securing subscriptions from the citizens of Decatur, the Cumberland Presbyterian church to meet the requirements of the original donor. A local committee looked after the city while the late Rev. Hawkins and Dr. Darby gave their entire time to the members of the church. The former was one of the most successful workers in the cause and his services were of inestimable value.

The first meeting of the college commission established by the patronizing synods was held in this city on November 10th.

The next important step was securing a change in the charter of the Lincoln college so as to meet the needs of the combined schools, and this was done through legislative action. The bill was signed by Governor Yates on April 23, 1901. In accordance with that bill the charter was amended April 30, 1901, and the James Millikin University was created.

Dr. A. R. Taylor who had for a number of years held the position of president of the Kansas State Normal school at Emporia, and was widely known throughout the west as a thorough and efficient educator, was invited to accept the presidency of the new college and made known his acceptance on June 8, 1901.

The local board of control was organized on June 14, 1901, and on June 24th adopted rules and regulations governing their actions. Dr. Taylor's first meeting with the board was on July 1st, 1901.

A committee composed of Messrs. Millikin, Taylor, Montgomery and Loeb was named to employ architects to design the proposed university buildings and they engaged the services of Messrs. Patton and Miller of Chicago.

The general contract for the erection of the buildings was awarded to H. B. Walters of Danville on February 19th, 1902, as against the contracts for stonework, concrete floors, and painting to John I. Pasold, Fisher & Timmons and J. J. McCarty, of Chicago respectively. On April 15th the contract for the plumbing and gas fixtures was awarded to the Decatur Plumbing and Heating company.

Ground was broken for the erection of the buildings on March 1st, 1902 and it was then expected that the new buildings would be completed by September, 1902, when it had been planned to open the college for the reception of students. It became apparent during the month of August that this would be an impossibility and the board of control was compelled to postpone the event for one year. It is generally conceded now that this was the best thing that could have been done although the outlook for the opening at the original date was extremely bright. A large number of prospective students had signified their intention of entering the college and there is no doubt that the attendance for the first year would have been very flattering. However, the extra year of construction afforded opportunity to have it progress under more watchful eyes and to avert any imperfections likely to arise from rushing the work.

The contract for heating was awarded to the Decatur Plumbing and Heating company in May 1902.

The last contract for a building was awarded to B. S. Brooks of this city for the erection of the power house on August 20, 1902.

On April 30th of this year Mr. Millikin made an offer of 30,000 for the synods of the Cumberland Presbyterian church would raise \$100,000 and the citizens of Decatur a like amount. This was the beginning of a plan

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BARGAIN ADVERTISING PAGE

MALE HELP WANTED.

WANTED—Carriage painters, blacksmiths, machine hands and carriage body builders. Write to Michigan Lumber Co., Kalamazoo, Mich.—3-6

WANTED—A No. 1 good man to travel. Must be a hustler. Can make \$100 a month and expenses. References required. Also 4 men to work Decatur and surrounding towns, address XXX, care Herald.—3-6

WANTED—Three good carpenters, furnishers; pay full union scale for competent men. Apply at new house 1000 block West Main or phone (new) 640.—2-6

WANTED—Two bundle wrappers at once. Bradley Bros.—2-2

MEN—Our illustrated catalogue explains how we teach barber trade in short time, mailed free. Moler Barber College, Chicago, Ill.—31-6

WANTED—50 berry pickers Monday morning, 1 mile north of I. C. R., at a Bloomington road. A. L. Newlin.—1-6

BERRY PICKERS WANTED at Riverside fruit farm. Geo. W. Story.—3-6

WANTED—6 good solidifiers for Decatur and vicinity, salary or commission. You can make good money. Easy and pleasant work. State time and place where I can see you. P. T. S. care Herald.—2-6

FEMALE HELP WANTED.

COOK at the Decatur restaurant, 123 E. Main st.—3-6

WANTED—Two experienced girls for general housework. Apply at 453 North Franklin street between 10 and 12.—2-6

WANTED—A good girl for general housework at 226 W. Eldorado.—2-6

WANTED—Two dish washers at once at Greider's cafe, East Main street. Call this morning.—31-6

WANTED—A young girl to assist in housework. One wanted who can go home at nights. Apply to Mrs. E. W. Darwin, 888 West Wood street.—31-6

WANTED—A competent girl for general housework, family of five, 840 W. Main, Mrs. J. A. Swearingen.—21-6

WANTED—A young lady, neat appearing, to collect and solicit. Apply between 10:30 and 11:30 a. m. White & Harper, room 117, St. Nicholas hotel.—2-6

WANTED—A dining room girl at Myers' restaurant, 451 N. Water st.—2-6

WANTED—A cook at Walston hotel, man or woman, man preferred. Call between 2 and 5 p. m.—2-6

POSITIONS WANTED

WANTED—Position as stenographer and assistant bookkeeper or cashier by young lady of several years' experience. Can furnish good references. Address E. N. care Herald.—2-6

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS.

WANTED—All people to call on E. H. Smith that wants work, both male and female, room 316, Powers' bldg., old phone 1804. The best wages given.—4-6

WANTED—Ladies to call on Mrs. Bowman for hair's hair work of all kinds; wigs, switches, curls, waves and to help make to order; also nice line of hair switches of all colors, from \$1 up. Special treatment a specialty. 21 N. Main.—4-6

WANTED—To borrow from private party \$175 for 3 months with good personal security. Will pay good rate of interest. Address lock box 337, Decatur, Ill.—2-6

WANTED—A boarder in private family, 450 S. Broadway.—2-6

WANTED—A house of four or five rooms. Permanent renter, not job preferred. Call or address J. J. Huff, 952 W. Cerro Gordo st.—31-6

WANTED—Stock to pasture at my place on Hawthorn Farm, 25 miles west of town on Springfield road. Plenty of good grass and running water. See me at Feltner's dairy or at farm. J. W. Litz.—30-6

WANTED—Second hand safe, also refrigerator. Will pay spot cash. Address P. R. care Herald.—22-6

WANTED—Those wishing help to call on employment bureau, 23 W. Main st.—21-6

WANTED—One thousand loads of dirt to be delivered one block south of the viaduct on Franklin st., inquire at 750 S. Colfax, old phone 2052. G. W. Martin.—29-6

WANTED—Everybody to buy a meal ticket at the Farmers' Restaurant. Meals, 15 cents; 7 meals, 95 cents; 21 meals, \$2.75. 461 North Water street. E. T. Myers, prop.—Novi-6

WANTED—All kinds of good household furniture, stoves, carpets. We also pay the highest price for exchange for new furniture, stoves, carpets, etc. Ask for "Elegant Laurel," finest stove made. Decatur Supply Co., 215 S. Park st.—M1-6

WANTED—Moving, storage, all kinds of hauling, packing, etc. Delivery wagons. Phone 419. Davis Livery.—18-6

WANTED—Everybody to call at the Cottage gallery, 955 N. Water, for first class photos at extremely low prices, 50c per dozen. With each dozen of photos, one photo better free. Open Sundays all day.—Oct11-6

WANTED—To buy good second-hand heating stoves, gasoline stoves, refrigerators and household goods. Decatur Auction and Furniture Co., 733 North Water. Old phone 2203; new phone, 788.—2-6

WANTED—Clean rags at the Herald office.—tf

FOR RENT—HOUSES.

FOR RENT—A new 5 room house for rent at 681 West Leadville. Inquire 862 North Church street.—3-6

GOOD BARN FOR RENT, stables 8 head of horses, room for 4 rigs, sheds, 13 block of court house on pavement; also baby carriage for sale. Inquire at 336 East Wood or C. W. Lindsey Transfer stables.—4-6

FOR RENT—7 room cottage, furnace, bath, toilet, range, hot and cold water, basement, laundry. Apply to W. T. Coubin, contractor and builder.—3-6

FOR RENT—6 room house, cellar, cistern, well, ready in 10 or 12 days. Corner E. Wood and Hilton, \$14 per month. Apply at 808 E. Wood st., corner Hilton.—3-6

FOR RENT—Houses in all parts of city. Some modern. Also have furnished and unfurnished rooms which can be used for light housekeeping. Also private rooms for storage. Address, private rooms, 429 Wabash Ave., both phones.—Jan. 25-6

FOR RENT—ROOMS.

FOR RENT—5 rooms occupied by Dr. Cuss Chenoweth in Chenoweth bldg., about July 1st, rent \$25. Address A. W. Freeman, Millikin bank.—3-6

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished rooms also rooms for light housekeeping. 307 N. Franklin.—3-6

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished front room with board, telephone, gas, bath, all conveniences, references, 1433 N. Main.—2-6

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished rooms suitable for man and wife or gentleman; also a few nice boarders, 341 East William st.—31-6

FOR RENT—3 unfurnished rooms, all modern conveniences, suitable for light housekeeping. Call at 505 E. Cerro Gordo.—2-6

FOR SALE—REAL ESTATE.

FOR SALE—A good frame house, inquire at 337 W. Main st.—3-6

FOR SALE—2 lots, 3 room house, good well, \$800, \$225 cash, balance time. Vacant lots, farm land in Illinois and Kansas. Also Kansas stock cheap. Better see me at 116 Merchant street, room 5, Decatur, Ill., Chambers.—3-6

FOR SALE—Nearly new 6 room cottage, nicely furnished, gas, cistern, well, ready in 10 or 12 days. Located on W. Wood, a chance to buy this at a great bargain, only \$2,100. Wilson & Riber, 104 E. Prairie st.—3-6

FOR SALE—One house and lot, also 2 vacant lots. Call at Huffaker's store, corner Morgan and Division sts.—2-6

FOR SALE—If taken this week \$1,200 will buy lot on West North street on asphalt pavement. Three room house in south part of city, on monthly payments. Properties are owned by non-resident clients. James O'Mara, 123 E. Main st.—2-6

FOR SALE—Illinois farms. We sold many farms last year as well as property in Central Illinois and we did not make a sale where the purchaser could not see and much discussed. Here we have Novoe Vremya prints a signed land-leases of each month. Round mining article, headed, "Russia and America," which says: "The United States, from time to time, enters the arena of anti-Russian propaganda, and finally a few years ago in its policy of unbridled expansion, without governmental tradition and is carried away by the success of its new-imperialistic policy, and Siberia was successfully taken as a tropical fruit colony."

The crops of fine potatoes can be grown in the same land in one year. A crop of as fine oats as you ever saw and a crop of cow peas can be grown on the same land in one year. Climate is pleasant and healthful, water is excellent. This location of Kansas is a pleasant place to make your home and offers an exceptional opportunity for a safe, sure and profitable investment.

Special excursion on June 2nd. See us for rates and further information. Wilson & Riber, 104 E. Prairie st., Decatur, Ill.—2-6

FOR SALE—A handsome nine room house, sold in its entirety, under compulsion. Will sell at a bargain. Inquire 762 West Main st.—31-6

A FARM FOR YOU—Why pay \$5 a month when you can own a level, black, fertile farm in Dakota at \$12 to \$20, 1/2 cash, balance in one year. A crop of as fine oats as you ever saw and a crop of cow peas can be grown on the same land in one year.

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FOR SALE—90 acres good improvement 2 1/2 miles of city, lots of fruit, wind mill, possession this fall. Will sell on farm if desired. 5 room cottage, furnace, cold and hot water in house, 5 block of court house, 2 room cottage, 60x120, \$400; 2 1/2 room cottages, \$750; 8 room modern house, bath, closets, built 2 years; 5 room cottage, 2 lots, barn, fruit, nearly new; 7 room house, well, cellar, cistern, \$1250. Allen, 141 E. Main.—31-6

FOR SALE—Bargains in all kinds of farm, timber, grazing, mineral and oil land. Excursion June 2nd. City residences and vacant lots. Money to loan, any amount. Write the insurance. Apply quick to Geo. Lower, rooms 217-18 Millikin bldg.—31-6

NEW SIX roomed house with four closets, pantry, cellar and store room in attic. Ready to move. Apply 748 W. William street.—31-6

FOR SALE—Nest 5 room cottage on E. North for \$1100. One of the most complete modern 7 room cottages in the city on W. North at a bargain.

150 acres good prairie farm, 4 miles from market, well improved, for \$4,000. Fine lot on N. Monroe at \$450. A very desirable home on W. Macon of 8 rooms, modern throughout, for \$4,000.

Money to loan on real estate at lowest rates. W. F. Pickle, 157 E. Main.—31-6

FOR SALE—100 acres mostly black soil 18 miles southwest of Decatur, 3 miles of good town, price \$60 per acre. J. F. Smith, Macon, Ill.—25-6

FOR SALE—Vacant lots in west end near University, located north and south fronts, at this price only this week and then they go up. Don't miss getting one at \$600. Wilson & Riber, 104 E. Prairie st.—2-6

BARGAINS—8 room modern home, almost new, eleven blocks from square, \$2500, easy terms. An older house, modern conveniences, 6 blocks from square, lot 60x150, is worth the price, \$3500, easy terms. Gher, 708 Millikin Bldg.—25-6

FOR SALE—I have a large list of city property to offer, some modern and conveniently located, prices as low as \$300 and up to \$10,000. Some rare bargains in west and northeast part. J. W. Barth, 116 Merchant street.—29-6

FOR SALE—At a great bargain, that elegant 5 room cottage, 1127 N. Church, paved st. and no better neighborhood in the city, but owner wants to leave city, hence the great bargain. Call on premises foreclosures.—29-6

HAVING SOLD 5,000 acres of the cheap productive land of Forest and Marquette county, Wisconsin, we offer it as a profitable investment. Eight new factories having located at county seat, this year, will increase value of their land. It can't go lower, it must go higher. \$6 to \$15 per acre. Excursions first and third of Novoe Vremya prints a signed land-leases of each month. Round mining article, headed, "Russia and America," which says: "The United States, from time to time, enters the arena of anti-Russian propaganda, and finally a few years ago in its policy of unbridled expansion, without governmental tradition and is carried away by the success of its new-imperialistic policy, and Siberia was successfully taken as a tropical fruit colony."

FOR SALE—If sold in five days, 7 room 2 story modern house, 7 1/2 600 lot, W. Macon st., at \$2,600. Phone 7. Foreclosures without governmental tradition and is carried away by the success of its new-imperialistic policy, and Siberia was successfully taken as a tropical fruit colony."

FOR SALE—The best close in lots in the city, also some fine outside lots. Brown & Montgomery, 123 Water st.—May 20-6

FOR SALE—Fine east front lots on North Main st., at \$350 to \$1200. Brown & Montgomery, 123 Water st.—May 20-6

FOR SALE—3 rooms, Church, \$1100; 5 rooms, Church, \$2,000; 6 rooms, Broadway, \$2,000; 7 rooms, Broadway, \$2,000; 5 rooms, William, \$1800; 5 rooms, Leadville, \$1300; 7 rooms, King, \$3100; 7 rooms, King, \$1850. Decatur Investment Co., 141 E. Main.—12-6

FOR SALE—If sold in ten days, 4 room cottage on W. Wood, 400th block, at \$2900; one-half cash. Address 537 W. Wood. Phone 170.—25-6

FOR SALE—Four lots on North Edward street, all in one tract, beautiful building site. Sold right for cash. Call on or address 253 East Main st.—14-6

FOR SALE—If sold in ten days, 7 room house 5 blocks from business part at \$1500; one-half cash. Address 537 W. Wood. Phone 170.—23-6

FOR SALE—Farms in Central Illinois. If you want to buy a farm of any size, value what you want, for what purpose you desire it and about what price you expect to pay. Trainer & Bramblett, Blue Mound, Ill.—23-6

FOR SALE—House and lot, full of fruit, near the Oakland street school and Millikin University. Must be sold in five days. Price \$550, one-third cash. Call at Drobisch Bros., 537 W. Wood.—8-6

FOR SALE—At a great sacrifice, if sold in ten days, 7 room house, 418 W. Wood. Fine shade, zinc in kitchen attached, 2 1/2 baths, water, electric, cistern, good sheds, one-half cash. Address 537 W. Wood, Phone 170.—23-6

FOR SALE—One lot in northeast part city at \$175, one-half cash. Address 537 W. Wood. Phone 170.—23-6

FOR SALE—House and lot, 465 W. Wood st., corner college, lot 60 ft. front on Wood at a bargain if sold soon. A. Hoffman, 465 W. Wood st.—28-6

BEMAN PLACE LOTS—No get-rich-quick scheme, but these, but a good substantial investment. A sure money maker. Investigate. A. R. Montgomery.—8-6

FOR SALE—If sold in ten days, 70 feet on W. Wood in 400th block at \$2500. This is a snap. One-half cash. Address 537 W. Wood. Phone 170.—23-6

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS

FOR SALE—Nice driving horse at Baker's barn, 341 E. Main.—4-6

FOR SALE—At a bargain, one rubber truck, one good wagon and set of single harness. Inquire room 302 Powers' bldg., Dr. J. H. Brady.—2-6

FOR SALE—An almost new typewriter also new and second hand bicycles cheap. Old Phone Main 1420. Ed. Kellington.—3-6

GOOD STOCK of groceries to exchange for house or vacant lot or what have you to trade. One acre good land to rent. A teamster can ride corn or millet on it. Call at once. Laughlin & Cloud, 116 Merchant.—30-6

FOR SALE—Complete talking machine outfit consisting of 1 high grade talking machine, 1 30 inch brass horn, 1 14 inch aluminum horn, 1 horn crane, 1 horn case for 20-inch horn, 1 record case for 25 records and about 50 good records. Also have a good mandolin and a guitar to sell. These goods can be had at a bargain if taken this week. Call at 627 W. King st.—2-6

FOR SALE—Good one horse wagon 1 road cart, good for buggy. Call at Huffaker's store, corner Morgan and Division sts.—2-6

FOR SALE—A number of good family and driving horses, 702 E. Wood st., at Pope's old dry barn, north of St. Mary's hospital.—31-6

FOR SALE—3 horses, one my old family horse, been driven on streets for years. Other two are good drivers, work any place you put them. One is a fine old mare. Call at Race Clothing store. J. R. Race.—31-6

FOR SALE—A folding wardrobe, handsomely finished. Will be sold at a bargain. A hall tree in good condition, also a fine bedstead, call at 225 W. North st., between rooms of 7 and 8 a. m. or 7 and 9 p. m.—31-6

FOR SALE—Nice gentle pony for a boy. Price reasonable. Call at 337 N. Edward or 146 E. Main. J. T. Lloyd.—30-6

FOR SALE—Folding bed, cook stove, kitchen cabinet, center table, chairs, kitchen table, beds and bed springs. Other household goods. All new and for sale at one-half their cost. New and moving to Texas. Mrs. Hunter, 1236 N. Calhoun street, City.—30-6

FOR SALE—Second hand buggies, carriages, phonographs, light and heavy harness, cheap for cash. Davis Livery, South Main st.—29-6

FOR SALE—2 first class show cases with low leg bases, \$10 each. Apply general offices, H. Mueller Mfg. Co.—2-6

FOR SALE—Young thoroughbred horses, unbroken, registered and pedigreed. Three miles southeast of Decatur. Thos. G. Prickett.—15-6

FOR SALE—Cheap. One bay mare 10 years old, weight 850 pounds; one bay mare 5 years old, weight about 1,000 pounds. Call at 653 West Wood street.—2-6

FOR SALE—Good typewriter for \$10. Inquire G. W. M. care Herald.—5-6

FOR SALE—Gas or gasoline engine, 18 horse power Olds machine, good as new, at 25 per cent of cost. Inquire M. P. & W. Co., 328 N. Water st.—5-6

FOR SALE—1 upright boiler, 8 horse power, 1 engine, 6 horse power; 1 silent mill cutter; 60 gal. lard cooler. All connections at a bargain. Call at 150 Merchant st. Decatur Packing & Prov. Co.—Mar 5-6

FOR SALE—Perry garden and flower seed. Nasturtium, sweet peas in bulk, grass seed at J. M. Hughes & Co. seed store, Opera House block.—3-6

FOR SALE—Partridge Cocker eggs from pure blood stock, \$1.50 for 12. Willbur G. Watt, 574 W. Macon st.—24-6

FOR SALE—G. M. WOOD SELLS ALL KINDS OF PUMPS, ALSO REPAIRS YOUR BROKEN PUMPS. 135 South Water.—Dec. 12-6

MONEY TO LOAN.

MONEY TO LOAN—On real estate, good personal security, household goods, live stock or any good security. No delay and very low rate. R. E. Gray, rooms 6 and 7 Masonic building. Old Phone, 1413.—13-6

DO YOU WANT \$2000 or any part of it at a reasonable rate of interest? No commissions to pay. This is a private loan. Address R. H. W. care Herald office.—2-6

MONEY. MONEY. MONEY. If you are in need of some ready money and want to get it on easy terms, we can help you. We want to see you. We loan on real estate, furniture, pianos, organs, horses, carriages, cattle, grain and personal security, at the lowest rates obtainable and in any amount you want. It will be money in your pocket to see you. If you borrow or renew an old loan. All business strictly confidential. George W. Ehrhart, 137 N. Water st.—31-6

TO LOAN—On city and farm property at current rates of interest, in sums from \$200 to \$10,000. I also negotiate short time loans on chattel mortgage security, using the first income of old line companies. J. W. Barth, 116 Merchant.—31-6

WE LOAN ON HORSES AND CATTLE, GRAIN AND CROPS, PERSONAL SURETY, FURNITURE AND PIANOS OR ANY GOOD SECURITY.

WE BUY NOTES. A. T. SUMMERS & SON, 110 N. WATER ST., NEXT TO MILLIKIN'S. OLDEST LOAN OFFICE IN CITY.—15-6

DO YOU NEED MONEY?—If so call on me. I loan money on furniture, horses, cows, diamonds, watches. No questions asked or peddled over town. No commissions asked. My neighbors in law, J. W. Barth, 116 Merchant st.—26-6

WE LOAN MONEY—On household goods, musical instruments, live stock, sewing machines, etc. Any amount. Lowest rates. No removal. No publicity. Easy payments and extension of time in case of sickness. You receive the full amount you borrow. Our motto is "square dealing." Call, write or phone Black 421, E. B. Dimock & Co., 136 Merchant st.—9-6

SEE PPGRAM & CO. DISPLAY AD FOR M. J. NEY TO LOAN.—2-6

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—A pair of gold rimmed nail spectacles or minister's glasses, lost on the way to cemetery, and gold chain attached. Return to 309 N. Edward and receive reward.—4-6

LOST—A gold pin with turquoise set surrounded by pearls. Finder please return to 711 West Wood street and receive reward.—2-6

FOUND—A dog collar and 1903 tag. Owner may have same by calling at Herald office, paying for this notice and giving number of tag.—31-6

LOST—A job and a charm K. P. between depot and business center. Please return to this office and receive reward.—31-6

LOST—Monday evening, brown jacket lined with silk. Lost either on Bloomington road or E. William st. road. Reward for its return to clerk No. 1 at Stewart's.—29-6

STRAYED OR STOLEN—A black rat terrier (female) weight about five pounds, from Macon, Ill. Reward for its return. Address Jno. Sargent, Macon, Ill.—29-6

MISCELLANEOUS.

1 GETS 12 GOOD CABINET photos and neat premium, at the East End Gallery, 1079 E. Eldorado. Dark days all right for sittings. Sunday hours 1 to 4 p. m. Matt finish and special steel \$1.50 and up.—4-6

15 TEXAS AND RETURN \$15. June 15 by the M. & K. railway, from St. Louis and other points in Missouri to Indian Territory and Texas stop over south of Clinton, Mo., and Kincaid, Kas., up to July 1st, final return limit July 7th. Go with us and see the southwest, its grand possibilities are unsurpassed in any country for investment. For further particulars see A. Heminger, 102 East Prairie st., Decatur, Ill.—3-6

BUGHOUSES are death to chickens, kill the lice and save the chickens by using Everett's Liquid Lice Killer. Been used ten years. Absolutely safe. Gallon \$1, quart, 35c. Everett Chemical Co., suite 2, 141 E. Main st., Decatur, Ill.—3-6

H. K. Henry—Typewriter Repairing, 127 E. Main St.—2-6

H. PASCO, lawyer, notary public, solicitor in chancery, pension attorney, practice in all state and United States courts and before the Supreme Court at Washington. Prompt attention to law, chancery, bankruptcy and pension business. Write deeds, mortgages, schedules, contracts. Over West's drug store.—31-6

HEADQUARTERS FOR CEDAR SHINGLES, CEDAR POSTS, SUPERIOR FRONT DOORS, HIGH GRADE INTERIOR FINISH. ALL KINDS

BARGAINS FOR JUNE
AT THE BIG STORE

BACHMAN BROS. & MARTIN CO.

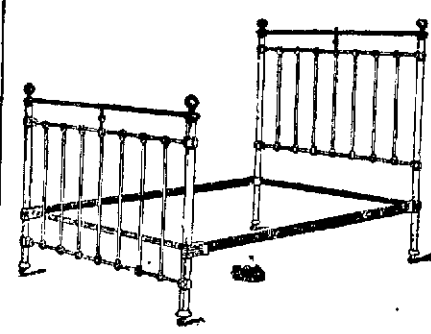
BARGAINS FOR JUNE
AT THE BIG STORE

May has been a record breaker. Why? Because the people found that it pays to trade at the Big Store. Our carpet department has proven especially attractive. We propose to make June a banner month. Come where you can find the right assortment of the best goods. The goods show for themselves. Why buy the inartistic ordinary furniture when you can make your selections from goods that have merit, both in design and quality? The prices are no higher. You pay for QUALITY, no matter what you buy. We will sell you honest, reliable goods worth the money at lower prices than many ask for the cheap, trashy kind.

Carpets
and RugsDon't fail to visit our 20,000
display of Oriental Rugs this
week.Mattings at
20 per cent
Discount THIS WEEK.

Lace Curtains

\$1.50 Curtains
per pair 89c
\$2.25 Curtains
per pair \$1.65
\$3.50 Curtains
per pair \$2.25
\$5.00 Curtains
per pair \$3.75
500 pairs of better Lace Curtains
at Discount Prices.

ODDS AND ENDS IN
VELVETS.BRUSSELS and AX-
MINSTERS at closing
out prices.100 new room size Rugs
to go during this sale.CAR OF
IRON BEDS

JUST IN.

Best assortment we ever put
on our floor. Bed like cut,
full brass trimmed, only

\$6.50

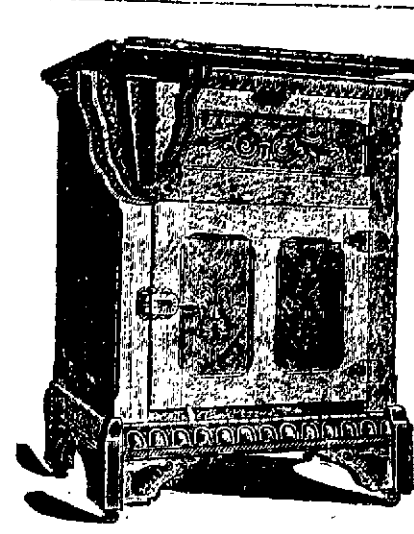
Full size brass trimmed bed
only

\$2.49

A LINE OF BRASS BEDS

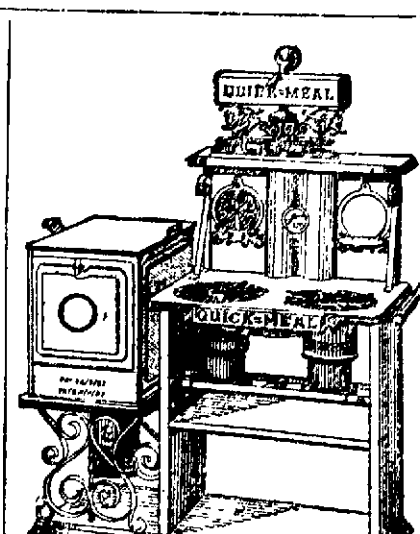
Go
CartsLike cut, full rubber
tire, good springs;
can be folded up in-
to small space, only

\$4.50

Refrigerators
GurneyRemovable ice chamber—uses
less than any other made.

1000 in use in Decatur.

See the Gurney before buying



Quick Meal

The world's best Gasoline
stove. A complete line from

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Thirty Styles.
every one warrantedSUMMER
FURNITURERattan Rocking Chairs and
Settees, all grades and prices.

Everything in porch furniture

Lawn Swings, \$5.50 to \$7.50

CHURCH WEDDING

Social Affair of the Season at War-
rensburg Occurred at the Con-
gregational Church.

THE HANSEL-BEALL NUPTIALS.

Large Company of Invited Guests Wit-
ness the Ceremony.

At Warrensburg last night occurred
the marriage of George R. Hansel of
Manchester and Miss Lulu May Beall.
The ceremony was performed at the
Congregational church at 7:30 o'clock.
Rev. Horace L. Strain of Decatur offi-
ciating.

The church was completely filled
with the friends of the couple invited
to witness the ceremony. The church
was beautifully decorated with pos-
sible plants and cut flowers.
The bride party entered the church
at the north aisle headed by the ush-
ers, C. J. Tucker and Fred Culp, fol-

lowed by the maids of honor, Misses
Irene and Margaret Weibel, and Celeste
and Florence Abel, who sang the bridal
chorus from Lohengrin as the party
entered. Miss Marian Manchester,
the flower girl, followed and then came
Gerard Tucker, the ring bearer, carry-
ing the ring on a white satin pil-
low, heart shaped, then the matron of
honor, Mrs. R. C. Augustine, of Decatur
and last the bride.

As the bridal party entered the
north aisle the groom and his best man,
R. C. Augustine of Decatur, entered the
south aisle and met the bride at the
altar. The party stood beneath a canopy
of aspidistras, syringas and roses
while Rev. Strain performed the
marriage ceremony and during which
Mrs. E. B. Beall, aunt of the bride,
played Schumann's "Traumerei."

After the ceremony the party pro-
ceeded to the home of William Beall,
the father of the bride, where a large
supper was served. The dining room
was decorated with amaranth and roses.
The bride is a graduate of the De-
catur high school, class of 1894, and
afterward graduated from the Chicago
Music college. She is an accomplished
young woman, prominent in church
and social affairs at Warrensburg, be-
ing superintendent of the Sunday
school and a member of the Woman's
club and a general favorite in that
circle.

The groom is the publisher of a
newspaper at Manchester, Ind., where
they will reside, leaving for that city
on Monday next.

Among the out of town guests were
Mrs. E. B. Beall, Misses Irene and
Margaret Weibel, Celeste and Flo-
rence Abel, Lillian Trainer, Mrs. R. A.
Peak, Marguerite Chandler, Mr. and
Mrs. R. C. Augustine, Mr. and Mrs.
John Beall of Decatur, Misses Carrie
Nuomi and Ada Gouge of Harrison-
ville, Mrs. Fred Mann of Chicago, Mrs. Flo-
rence Manchester and daughters of
Normal, Mrs. A. E. and Raphael Good-
Normal, Mrs. H. Beall of Ni-
antic, Ernest and Stella Stillman of
Chillicothe. Many handsome presents
were given the couple.

WHITE-HAHN.

Wedding Celebrated at St. Paul's
Church Last Evening.
Washburn White and Miss Martha
Hahn were married last evening at St.
Paul's German Lutheran church.
Promptly at 8 o'clock the bridal par-
ty, composed of the bride, groom and
Miss Anna Kuehling and Mr. Wittgen-
berg, entered and proceeded up the aisle
while Lohengrin's wedding march was
being played by the organist, Mr.
Schelter. The party was met at the
altar by Rev. Wagner who performed

the wedding ceremony. At the close
of the ceremony the bridal party took
carriages which were in waiting at the
door and were driven to the home of
the bride's parents on East Wood
street, where a reception was held.

The house was decorated with cut
flowers and crimped paper and pre-
sented a pretty appearance. There
was a large number of friends and re-
latives present at the reception. A
wedding supper was served by the
bride's mother and Mrs. M. Wagner.
Mr. and Mrs. White left this morning
at 2:10 for Peoria where they will
visit for a short time after which
they will return to the city and will
make their home at 816 East Leeland
avenue, where they will be at home to
their friends after June 10.

PERSONALS.

ter W. Dawson and daughter and
Hugh Bone have returned from Louisi-
ana.
C. Cullison of Macon was in the
city Wednesday on business.
Mrs. Jessie Cook of Shelbyville is
visiting with Mrs. T. C. Hardy.
Mrs. James Wright has gone to Hel-
jack, Minn., on a visit.
Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Chenoweth have
gone to Chicago.
Miss Edw. Edwards of Clinton was shop-
ping in Decatur yesterday.
Mrs. W. M. Rader of Cerro Gordo
was visiting with friends in the city
Wednesday.
Mrs. John Powers of Palmyra, Ill., is
in the city visiting her brother, Capt.
Herman Koeppe and family.
Mrs. McKillop has gone to
Litchfield to visit relatives.
Miss Doris Roach who has been ill
with the measles is recovering.
Mrs. A. G. Thompson of St. Louis
is in the city visiting W. S. Greene
and family of West Wood street.

GAME PRESERVES TOO LARGE.

Government's Scheme Involved One-
Third of State of Wyoming.
Cheyenne, Wyo., June 3.—Gov. Chat-
terton has sent a strong protest to
the interior department against the
creation of the extensive forests and
game preserves in Wyoming as has
been ordered.
Over one-third of the state has been
segregated by the national govern-
ment for the preservation of the game.
It was upon this question that late Gov-
ernor Richards took issue with Pres-
ident Roosevelt, and his successor in
office is equally as firm in his con-
victions.

PUZZLES IN MAIL LISTS.

Head of Department Asks For Advice
As To Publishing Names.
Washington, June 3.—Postmaster
General Payne is confronted with a
problem which is quite perplexing as
the elimination of frauds from the
postoffice department. He is in a
quandary as to what course to pur-
sue with regard to the posting in
country postoffices of the names and
addresses of patrons living along the
rural free delivery routes and would
welcome suggestions and discussion
of the subject to aid him in reaching
a proper conclusion.
The question is a far-reaching and
intricate one, involving the elimi-
nation of the large newspapers of the
country and the extension of the busi-
ness of the mail order stores on the
one hand and the possible extinction
of the country newspapers and the
country merchant on the other.
It also involves the question of en-
abling the farmers of the country to
purchase goods of every description
cheaper than they can be bought at
the country stores, as well as many
other important matters. Some time
ago Assistant Postmaster General
Wynne issued an order directing the
names to be posted and this order
was indorsed by Postmaster General
Payne.
Immediately vigorous protests were
made by the country merchants, who
asserted as a result of its enforcement
the mail order stores would drive the
country stores out of the business. The
editors of the country weeklies urged
that with the use of the information
contained in these lists the circu-
lation of city newspapers rapidly ex-
panded and that the weeklies were
being driven to the wall.
Since Mr. Wynne issued the order
the rural free delivery system has
been transferred to the jurisdiction
of Assistant Postmaster General Bris-
towl, who disagrees with the postmas-
ter general and his first assistant as
to the wisdom of the policy adopted.
Mr. Bristowl has written a report re-
commending the revocation of the or-
der. This report is now on the desk
of the postmaster general, who is un-
decided as to what action to take, and
he will not decide the question for
some days, and probably not until
those interested have had an oppor-
tunity to express their views.

SPORTS OF ALL SORTS

JACOBSEN PITCHED; WE WON

Decatur Star Had Davenport Shut
Out Until the Last
Inning.

ROCKFORD IN FOURTH PLACE.

Davenport, Ia., June 3.—The superior
pitching by Jacobson won the game
for Decatur.
Davenport ... 000000000—1 6 3
Decatur ... 010000101—3 10 2
Batteries—Hughes and Lobbeck; Jac-
obsen and Kiebs.

Amateur Baseball News.

The men in the Wabash round house
have organized a baseball team and
are ready to meet any team in or out
of the city. The name chosen was
the "Round House Greasers," and Don-
ny Mercer has been chosen as cap-
tain and manager. He has already
secured a game with the Wabash
team of Springfield and it will be
played on the round house diamond in
Decatur Sunday afternoon. The bat-
ting order for the "Greasers" is P. J. Shaugh-
nessy and "Strikes" Thomas. The
batting order for the team will be
as follows:
Shaughnessy p, Mercer 1b, Leighton
ss, Williamson 2b, Mitchell 3b, Thomas
c, Towney cf, Hinton rf, Dunbar lf.
In the practice games captain Mercer
has been showing up well at first and
Shaughnessy is doing some good work
in the box.

The All Stars will go to Lanesville
Sunday for a game with the local team.

The candidates for a place on the
Cavalier baseball team are to meet at
the city mill diamond Friday evening
for practice.

Wednesday Manager C. W. Cigana
closed a date with the Sullivan base-
ball nine for a game in this city on
Sunday, June 14th. Ladies will be
admitted free on that day.

HOW THEY STAND.

National League.	Played	Won	Lost	P.C.
Chicago	41	30	11	.732
New York	43	26	17	.665
Pittsburgh	44	27	17	.614
Brooklyn	49	20	29	.500
Boston	47	17	30	.459
Cincinnati	40	18	22	.450
Philadelphia	42	12	30	.286
Philadelphia	39	11	28	.282

GAMES TODAY.

Three I League.
Decatur at Davenport.
Bloomington at Rockford.
Joliet at Dubuque.
Rock Island at Cedar Rapids.

American League.
Chicago at Boston.
Cleveland at New York.
Detroit at Philadelphia.
St. Louis at Washington.

National League.
Boston at Pittsburgh.
New York at Chicago.
Brooklyn at St. Louis.
Philadelphia at Cincinnati.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

St. Louis, June 3.—A running catch
by Smoot coupled with Kestlet's
heavy hitting were the features.
St. Louis ... 01201000—4 7 0
Philadelphia ... 000000120—3 9 8
Batteries—Rhoades and O'Neill,
Duglesby and Roth.

Easy Winning.

Chicago, June 3.—The locals won
easily piling up seven runs in the first
inning.
Chicago ... 701101100—11 13 2
Brooklyn ... 100001001—3 8 5
Batteries—Walker and Kling; Gar-
vin and Ritter.

Cincinnati, June 3.—The locals lost
by inability to hit Willis.
Cincinnati ... 000000000—0 4 0
Boston ... 112020000—6 10 0
Batteries—Halper and Peitz; Willis
and Kittredge.

In Form Again.

Pittsburgh, June 3.—The visitors
team got no further than first base.
Leever's support was brilliant.
Pittsburgh ... 01001102—5 9 1
New York ... 000000000—0 6 1
Batteries—Leever and Phelps; Mc-
Ginnity and Warner.

The American League.
Played Won Lost P.C.
Boston ... 37 22 15 .595

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

New York ... 010010100—3 6 1
Boston ... 006001020—3 14 2
Batteries—Griffith and O'Connor;
Young and Criger.

Washington ... 000200000—2 9 4
Philadelphia ... 100002020—1 12 1
Batteries—Wilson and Clarke;
Plank and Powers.

St. Louis ... 33 13 14 .576
Philadelphia ... 38 22 16 .571
Chicago ... 35 23 15 .571
Cleveland ... 32 17 16 .515
New York ... 36 17 19 .472
Washington ... 36 10 26 .277

LOOSELY PLAYED GAME.

Taken by Bloomington From Nica-
stas were the features.

Rockford, June 3.—The visitors won a
loosely played game on Rockford's in-
ability to hit.
Rockford ... 111000000—3 7 2
Bloomington ... 001310100—6 9 1
Batteries—Kilian and Stark; Mc-
Greedy and Donovan.

Cadwallader Weakened.
Rockford, June 3.—Cadwallader
weakened in the eighth, allowing four
hits and three runs.
Cadwallader ... 020000030—5 7 6
Rock Island ... 002000000—2 5 2
Batteries—Meyers and Ryan; Cad-
wallader and O'Leary.

Eastman's Pitching.
Dubuque, June 3.—Eastman's pitch-
ing and Buelow's double play, unas-
sisted were the features.
Dubuque ... 000030000—3 7 1
Joliet ... 000001000—1 5 3
Batteries—Eastman and Smith;
Hagerman and Reading.

Western League.
Des Moines, 3; Denver, 2.
Peoria—Postponed, flood bound.
St. Joseph, 2; Kansas City, 5.
Milwaukee—Postponed, flood bound.
Omaha, 1; Colorado Springs, 0.

American Association.
Minneapolis, 2; Louisville, 3.
St. Paul, 2; Indianapolis, 6.
Milwaukee, 5; Columbus, 4.

SPLINTERS OF SPORT.
It is stated that Ashmore, first
base man for the University of Illi-
nois has signed to guard the initial
ing for Rockford, and that he will re-
port for duty tomorrow.

As a reward for winning one game
at Cleveland Charles Comiskey, man-
ager of the Chicago White Sox, gave each
member of the team an order on a
Chicago tailor for a \$50 suit of
clothes. In addition he purchased a
line of pumkin hats for each man, this
team alone costing him \$250. The
team would play six games a day for
the Old Roman.

It is said that more well dressed
men patronize the bleachers in De-
catur than in any other city. The
bleachers are all good fellows.—
Rockford Republican.

O'Leary was fined \$50 in the West-
ern league for mugging a fly in the fourth
inning when two were gone and two
on bases.

Bloomington has never been below
500 this year.—Bloomington Patri-
ot.

Donald Gustafson, pitcher for Au-
gustana's ball team, leaves this week
for his home at North Dakota, having
graduated from the art department.
He has made a unique record during
the season, his work for Augustana
securing all the games but one. He
made the record of striking out 100
men in seven games he allowed but
three men to take bases on balls. On-
ly one pitcher has been able to score
but 11 hits off him in seven games,
or during the whole season.

It is all off at Joliet. When the
team gets through this trip they will
be located in some other town. The
Republican of that city says:
"All of the players, with the excep-
tion of Lyons, the second baseman,
and Hoffman, the center fielder, left
last night for Dubuque where the
series will be played according to the
schedule. If at the end of the pres-
ent series away from home, which

concludes June 20, President Sexton
has no other town willing to take the
team and assume the obligations, the
players will return to Joliet and play
under the management of the league
as the Joliet league baseball team. At
any rate, until some other town can
be induced to assume the obligations
of the Joliet team, it will be known
as belonging to Joliet. President Sex-
ton was here Sunday to talk over the
situation. He knew of no town willing
to take the team, although two or
three places, such as Quincy, Aurora
and Springfield, have been considered.
Aurora is the place wanted, for it is
a pretty fair baseball city, and also
has the advantage of being so situated
that a change of the schedule would
not be necessary. After several meet-
ings with the directors and the stock-
holders of the team, the chief official
holders of the league decided to take
the team, pay what was due to the play-
ers, and send the club on the road. To-
morrow has been decided as manager,
and he will play second base.

CAVALIER DANCE.
The Cavalier dancing club gave their
regular dance at the Guard's armory
last evening and there was an excel-
lent attendance, there being about fifty
couples present. The dance was to
have been held at the park but on ac-
count of the bad weather and the fact
that the cars did not run the entire
distance it was decided to hold the
dance at the armory. The club's or-
chestra furnished the music for the
occasion.

HORSESHOERS CLOSE.
All of the members of the Macon
County Horse Shoers' association will
close their shops at noon today on ac-
count of the president's visit to the
city.

HALF HOLIDAY.
The members of the Grangers' associa-
tion have decided to close their places
of business from 2 until 5 p. m. to-
day.

NEW UNIFORMS.
The new uniforms of the police force
have been finished and the entire force
will appear today in the new clothes.

TO CAPITAL.
The members of Company H, will
leave at 7:20 a. m. today for Spring-
field to take part in the armory ded-
ication at that city. They met at 6
a. m. at the armory.

Supreme Knight.
New Haven, Conn., June 3.—The na-
tional council of the Knights of Col-
umbus elected officers today. Edward
L. Horn of South Framingham, Mass.,
was chosen supreme knight.

Mistaken for a Burglar.
West Elizabeth, Pa., June 3.—Govern-
ment collector, Harvey Hart of
Blairstown, was mistaken for a burglar
and killed by Night Watchman Ed-
ward Thomas of the hotel in Jefferson
township, Allegheny county, today.

PROCLAMATION.
To the People of the City of De-
catur.
In view of the forthcoming
visit of the President of the
United States I hereby call on
all the citizens of Decatur to
lend every assistance in doing
honor to the Chief Magistrate of
our nation. Especial attention
is called to the importance of
assisting the authorities in en-
forcing the regulations made for
the people. All are urged to
decorate their homes and places
of business especially along the
line of march, and that during
the afternoon from 2 to 5 o'clock
all places of business so far
possible be closed so that all
employees may have full oppor-
tunity to join in the day's ex-
ercises.

CHARLES F. SHILLING,
June 2, 1903.
Mayor.

Calumet
Baking
Powder

The Standard of
Perfect Baking.

BUNTINGS AND FLAGS
AND ALL KINDS OF
DECORATING MATERIALS

The Chief Executive of Our Nation will be with us
on Thursday, June 4th, and for this grand occasion we
have selected one of the most complete lines of decora-
tive materials at astonishingly low prices. Those who
wish to decorate their homes or business places will
have an opportunity this time at a very small cost.
Cotton Printed Mounted Flags from 15c to \$1.00 per doz.
The President's Flag--Welcome. with photo, 15c each.
Red, White and Blue Bunting at 4c yard.
United States Decorating Shields at 12½c each.
4 x 6, full number of stars, Flags for private dwellings,
\$1.00 each.
21-foot Sunbursts, a beautiful design, for \$1.00.
A complete line of all sizes Wool Flags from \$2.00 to
\$20.00.

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